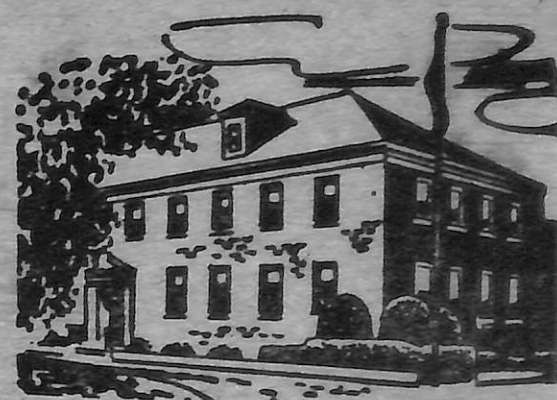


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## Agawam Council of PTA Announce Program and Aims

The officers of the Agawam Council of Parent Teachers Association announces the following program as their aim:

To promote the welfare of children and youth in home, school, church and community.

To raise the standards of home life.

To secure adequate laws for care and protection of children and youth.

To bring closer relation be-

tween the home and school that parents and teachers may co-operate intelligently in training of the child.

To develop between educators and the general public such united efforts as will secure for every child the highest advantages in physical, mental, social and spiritual education.

Officers and committees are: Mrs. Dominic DiDonato, president; Mrs. Edward Moriarty, first vice-president; Robert Griffin, second vice-president; Mrs. Harold Burnett, recording secretary; Mrs. Nicholas Madamas, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Albert Taupier, Jr., treasurer.

Unit presidents: Danahy — Daniel Molta; Robinson — Nicholas Stoia; South — Paul Pappas; Peirce — Mrs. Phyllis Mason; Phelps — Mrs. Ronald Wor-

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## Republican Caucus Tonight 6 to 8 At Junior High School

Chairman of the Caucus Harold E. Walker, announces that the Agawam Republican Town Committee will hold its Caucus in the Agawam Junior High School Cafeteria from 6 p. m. to 8 p. m. tonight. Mrs. Donald C. McCave will be secretary.

The following Candidates will be voted upon: Moderator: David M. Marshall; Selectman: Robert Watson, Jr.; Assessor: Fred Bauman and Henry W. Lawson; School Committee: Robert W. Johnson; Library Trustee: Priscilla Andrews, James H. Loomis, Jr., C. William Hall; Cemetery Commissioner: William H. Spring; Tree Warden: Elmer Cascio; Parks & Playground: Robert John Meister and Judith Ann Moore; Trustee Whiting St. Fund: Edith C. Larsen; Housing Authority: Daniel DiDonato and Joseph P. McMahon, Jr.

The October Republican Town Committee meeting will be held at the new headquarters, 335 Walnut St. Ext., Tuesday, Oct. 8th, at which time the candidates will be present. All voters interested in meeting the Republican Team are welcome to attend.

## Agawam Coin Club To Meet Oct. 16

The October meeting of the Agawam Coin Club will be held Wednesday, the 16th, at 7:30 p. m. sharp, in the Agawam Baptist Church, opening with a bourse period of collectors and dealers. This will be followed by a short business meeting and election of officers for 1969.

The feature of the evening will be a showing of 60 slides by the "99 Club" of California on the subject, "The Wedding of Coins and Stamps." All those interested in stamps and coins be sure to make a date for this evening.

Refreshments and social period will follow and will finish with a good auction.

Don't forget! There will be a door prize and a raffle of good value.

## Mail Box Pickup Hours

Agawam Postmaster Robert R. DeForge announces new hours for collection of mail boxes on Sundays and holidays. Mail collected at 2:45 from the mail box in front of the Post Office. Mail collected at 3:00 from the mail box in front of Valley Bank in the shopping center. These are the only two boxes collected on Sundays and holidays.



FRED J. BAUMAN  
**BAUMAN SEEKS  
ASSESSOR POST**

Fred J Bauman announces his candidacy for nomination for the Board of Assessors in the Republican caucus to be held at the Junior High School tonight, at 6 to 8 p. m.

Mr. Bauman has been engaged in real estate for several years and associated with the Springfield Board of Realtors for three years. He has an excellent knowledge in property value and appraisals. He is entering active politics after 20 years Federal Service.

Mr. Bauman is a native of the Panama Canal one and settled here following his discharge from the U. S. Air Force. He now resides at 15 Peros Drive with his wife and five children.

## Agawam Methodists' 'Holiday Happenings'

Mrs. Betty Fearn, chairman, announces the annual bazaar "Holiday Happenings" will be held on Saturday, Oct. 26 between the hours of 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. at the Agawam Methodist Church.

"Holiday Happenings" centered around a Colonial theme will have available many hand-made articles, gifts, Christmas items, and baked goods.

In charge of the various tables are: Fancy Table: Mrs. Esther Jenks; Christmas Table: Mrs. Charlotte Crichton and Mrs. Pat Roy; Attic Treasures: Mrs. Sandra Haskins; Wishing Well: Mrs. Arlene St. Onge and Miss Marcia St. Onge; Toys: Mrs. Judy Brightman; Gifts: Mrs. Lillian Haidemenos and Mrs. Eleanor Broz; Food Table: Mrs. Donna Houts; Snack Bar: Mrs. Helen Ryer; Hosiery and Notions: Mrs. Frances Fearn.

## Ladies' Aid Society To Serve Chicken Pie Supper Oct. 17

A Chicken Pie Supper will be served by the Ladies Aid Society of the Agawam Congregational Church in the parish house of the church on Thursday, Oct. 17th. Servings will be continuous from 5:30 to 7 p.m.

The menu will consist of: juice, mashed potato, squash, chicken pie, cranberry sauce, cabbage salad, rolls and butter, apple pie, coffee, tea or milk.

For reservations call Mrs. George Andrews, 733-2926 or Mrs. George Blood, 736-5530. Adult tickets are \$2. and children under 12, 99 cents.

## St. David's Group Smorgasbord Sat.

The "Activities Group" of St. David's Episcopal Church will be sponsors of a public smorgasbord Saturday, Oct. 12, in the parish house on Springfield St., Feeding Hills. Continuous servings will begin at 5 p.m. through 6:30 p.m.

The menu includes, roast turkey, baked ham, lasagna, spare ribs and sauerkraut, macaroni and cheese, baked beans, cole slaw, jellied salads, scalloped potatoes, peas, potato salad, relishes, rolls, butter, homemade pies, coffee, tea and milk.

Tickets will be on sale at the door, or call Mrs. Charles Astifan 737-7598 for reservations. Adults \$1.75, children under 12, 75 cents, children under 5, free.

## Valley Community Church To Hold Dedication Oct. 26-27

The Valley Community Church will be dedicated on Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 26 and 27 with appropriate ceremonies. The Church Council has designated 2 p.m. Saturday, the 26th, for the initial program of the week-end. At this time the people and friends of the Church will gather to dedicate the Church. Clergy of the town will participate in the service and Dr. John P. Fitzsimmons of Belmont, Mass., will deliver the sermon.

At 6:30 p.m. on this day the second event will occur. The Church will honor some eight

persons with its Award of Merit at a dinner with a reception for these recipients to be held an hour earlier. Dr. Kenneth Bath, Pastor of the Greendale People's Community Church of Worcester will speak on this occasion.

The third event of the week-end will be the Sunday morning service at which the Pastor of the Church, Rev. Frank E. Dunn, will preach bringing to a conclusion the two day program to dedicate the new edifice of the six year old congregation. Coffee hours will follow the service on Saturday and Sunday.

## Jr. Women's Club To Send Yule Packages Overseas

"Getting to Know You" may well be the theme of Agawam Junior Women's Club in their work among the residents in the town. The objective of their club founded in 1957 is mutual helpfulness, the advancement of public welfare and the promotion

of the civic and cultural interests of the women of Agawam.

Just to mention a few of the accomplishments that the local group are working on are: Community Service, Conservation of Natural Resources, Education, Fine Arts, Health, Gerontology, Home Life, International Affairs, Public Affairs, Safety Division, Veterans Division, U. S. S. Hope, Operation Healthy Babies, National Association of Retarded Children and Project Concern.

Delegates from the local club attend the State Convention of Junior Women's Clubs each year and bring back many honors and awards for the work accomplished during the club year.

At the present time and for the fourth consecutive year, the club will send Christmas packages to Agawam servicemen in Viet Nam. As in the past, family and friends are asked to contact Mrs. Kenneth Kubik and give her the name and mailing address of those whom you would like to receive these packages. Final date for names is Oct. 31 since the post office has requested that all overseas packages must be mailed by the first week of November.

Officers serving this year are: President, Mrs. Herbert Carpenter; First Vice-President, Mrs. Arthur Jarvis; Second vice-president, Mrs. Charles T. Marquis; Recording secretary, Mrs. John

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CHARLES HEYL

and is active in local and state industrial arts association, as well as the New England association. He is past president of the Western Massachusetts Industrial Arts Education Association and is presently a regional vice president of the Massachusetts Industrial Education Association.

Mr. Heyl has served on the certification committee for industrial arts teachers and is presently on a committee to set up regional professional improvement courses for industrial teachers.

This year's New England Industrial Arts Convention will have as its theme Action Research in Industrial Arts. Several national authorities in modern industrial arts research will appear on the program. Dr. Marshall L. Schmitt, specialist for industrial arts, U. S. Office of Education, will be the keynote speaker. Other leaders of national prominence in industrial arts field will be Dr. Eckhart A. Jacobsen of Northern Illinois University and Marvin J. Fieldman of the Ford Foundation.

## Appointed Chairman For 'Y' Meeting

Paul Adams, Jr., chairman of the Agawam YMCA Board of Directors has appointed Mr. Harry Leonardi of 49 Silver Lake Dr., as chairman of the annual meeting for 1968.

This year the meeting will be held on Sunday evening, Oct. 20th at Betty's Towne House starting at 6 with a social hour.

The meeting is open to the public and YMCA members. For reservations call the Agawam YMCA office at 108 Perry Lane, 733-9676.

## Baptist Church Annual Smorgasbord Slated for Oct. 19

The Agawam Baptist Church will hold their annual smorgasbord at the church hall on Saturday, Oct. 19th, from 5 until 7.

The menu will include: fresh fruit cup, ham, turkey, Swedish meat balls, American chop suey, baked beans, scalloped potatoes, Harvard beets, French green beans, sauerkraut, sunshine gelatin salad, cole slaw, deviled eggs, relish tray, cranberry relish, rolls and butter, assorted home made pies, coffee, tea and milk.

For reservations call 739-3029 or 734-2422.

## Community Grange October Program

Community Grange will meet on Oct. 15th at 8 o'clock at the Grange Home on North West St., Feeding Hills. A business meeting will precede the program.

The upcoming national election is the subject of the program. A film "Knock on every door" will be presented to emphasize the importance of getting out the vote. Songs and readings with appropriate games will complete the program.

A social hour will follow the program during which refreshments will be served. Mr. and Mrs. George Collins are co-chairmen of the refreshment committee assisted by Bill and Harriet Swiconek.

## Agawam YMCA

announces Oct. 12 will be the last registration day for the flag football program and the soccer program.



## CHURCH NEWS

### AGAWAM METHODIST CHURCH

459 Mill Street, Agawam  
Rev. Kenneth Thornton, Minister  
Ronald Ashton, Lay Leader  
Mrs. Herbert Binns, Organist  
Mrs. Marshall Keyes,  
Sanctuary Choir Director  
Mrs. Kenneth Alexander.

Thursday — 7:30 p.m. Work Session on Bazaar at the home of Betty Fearn, 44 Letendre St., Feeding Hills.

Friday — 11 a.m. Service of Worship at East Longmeadow Nursing Home; 6:15 p.m. Bowling teams at West Side.

Sunday—9:30 a.m. Church at Worship . . . Nursery for Infants . . . Church School in session until 10:45 a.m.; 10:30 a.m. Coffee Hour; 6:00 p.m. Youth Group.

Monday — 7:30 p.m. Church Conference. All members should attend and vote on proper matters of business which may come before this conference.

Tuesday — 6:30 p.m. Junior Choir practice; 7:30 p.m. Youth Choir practice.

Wednesday — 7:30 p.m. Sanctuary Choir practice.

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### BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Benjamin Lockhart, Pastor  
Mrs. Frank Merchant,  
Organist and Choir Director  
Mrs. Ruth Daniels, Organist  
Mrs. Barbara Briggs,  
Church Secretary

Thursday — 7:30 p.m. Choir rehearse at church.

Friday-Saturday — The Massachusetts Baptist Convention Anniversaries meet in Brookline, Mass.

Saturday — 9 a.m. Senior BYF paper drive in the community.

Sunday — 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship — Rev. Lockhart will preach morning worship service — Church School to follow; 6 p.m. Junior and Senior BYF's meet at church; 7:30 p.m. Instruction meeting on new member visitation at the church.

Monday — 8 p.m. Sunshine Circle meet at home of Mrs. Stuart Smith, Porter Drive.

Tuesday — 6:30 p.m. Mr. and Mrs. Club meet at Bodurtha Hall for smorgasbord followed by a business meeting and program.

Wednesday — 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. Trading Post open.

### CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. Floyd C. Bryan, Minister  
Mrs. A. G. Toussaint,  
Minister of Music

Thursday — 8 p.m. Ladies Aid evening meeting. . . Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hodges to show slides of a trip thru Norway, Sweden, Holland and Denmark.

Friday — 7 p.m. Boy Scout meeting; 7:30 p.m. Sanctuary Choir rehearsal.

Saturday — 8:45 a.m. Intermediate Choir rehearsal; 9:30 a.m. Junior Choir rehearsal.

Sunday — 9:30 a.m. Church at Morning Worship — Mr. Bryan preaching and Church School for Nursery thru 6th Grade;

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Monday — 8 p.m. Friendly Workers' meeting.

Tuesday — 6:30 p.m. Senior High Choir rehearsal; 7:30 p.m. Church Council meeting.

### FEEDING HILLS CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

21 North Westfield St.  
Rev. Arthur N. Sweeney, Pastor

Friday—7:30 p.m. Staff meeting of the Church School, followed by the R. E. Board meeting.

Sunday—9:30 a.m. Church School for grades kindergarten-6th; 11 a.m. Worship Service. A nursery is provided for parents with children who attend; 2:30 p.m. Fall meeting of the Western Area Associations of the United Church of Christ, Westfield State College. Observers are welcome along with official delegates.

Monday — 6:30 p.m. Church School for grades 7, 8 and 9; closing at 7:30 p.m.; 7:30 p.m. Meeting of the Board of Deacons and Deaconesses in Spear Room.

Thursday—7 p.m. Meeting of parents and Scout officials to reorganize Pack #585; 7:30 p.m. Meeting of the Board of Trustees in the Spear Room.

### ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH

Rev. Samuel Fayad, C.S.S.,  
Rev. Joseph Mantia, C.S.S.

Saturday—4 to 5 p.m. and 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. confessions.

#### MASS SCHEDULE

Sundays—7, 8:30, 10:30 a.m.

Week days—7 a.m.

Holy days—7 and 9 a.m., 5:30 and 7:30 p.m.

Tuesdays—7:30 p.m. St. Anthony Devotions.

### ST. DAVID'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rev. John S. Tuler, Vicar

Sunday—8 a.m. Holy Communion; 10 a.m. Matins and Sermon; 7 p.m. Evening Prayer.

### SACRED HEART CHURCH

FEEDING HILLS

Rev. George Linse, C.S.S.

Rev. James Shea, C.S.S.

Saturday—4:30 and 7:30 p.m. Confessions

Sunday—6:45, 8, 9:15, 11:30 a.m. Masses.

Tuesday—7:30 p.m. Miraculous Medal Novena Devotions.

### ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CHURCH

Rev. Walter J. Joyce  
Rev. Albert Blanchard

Saturday — Confessions 4 to 5:45 and 7:30 to 9 p.m.

#### MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday—6:45, 8, 9:15, 10:30, 11:45 a.m.

Tuesday—5:30 p.m., Mass followed by Miraculous Medal Novena.

### ST. THERESA OF INFANT JESUS CHURCH

Rev. Paul Bernard

#### MASS SCHEDULE

Daily Mass—7 a.m.

Saturday—8 a.m. Mass — 4:30 and 7:30 Confessions.

Sunday — 7, 9 and 11 a.m. Mass.

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Mrs. Hazel Prior, Choir Director

Mrs. John MacPherson, Organist

Mrs. Richard Orr,  
Church Secretary

Sunday—10 a.m. Morning worship with sermon by the Minister: WAKE UP AND LIVE—to be held in new sanctuary; Sunday School classes will be held in Dunn Community Hall. Charles Provenzano, Sup't.; 6 p.m. Youth Groups to meet. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Willett, Directors.

Monday — 8 p.m. First Fall meeting of the Friendly Circle and meeting of the Men's Club.

### FUNERAL NOTICES

MRS. JENNIE MARIEB  
The funeral of Mrs. Jennie Marieb of 12 Pierce St., was held Sept. 30, from the Curran-Jones funeral home followed by a solemn high mass of requiem in Sacred Heart Church. Celebrant of the mass was the Rev. Maurice P. Karam, deacon was the Rev. George A. Linse C.S.S., and the Rev. James Shea C.S.S. was subdeacon. Bearers were Paul Norman, Henry Dahdah, Joe Valdoe, Robert Ferris, Michael Marieb, and Tom Dybiks. Burial was in St. Michael's Cemetery

with Fr. Karam offering the prayers of committal.

### CHARLES KUBICEK

The funeral of Charles Kubicek of 37 Suffield St., was held Sept. 30, from the Curran-Jones funeral home. The Rev. C. Frazer Keirstead officiated. Bearers were Robert Kubicek, Raker Yarmesky, Henry Yarmesky, and Bernard Smith. Representing the West Springfield Fire Dept., were Chief James Wagner, Deputy Chief Frank Cizek, Lieut. John B. O'Connell, and Fire Inspector Leland Shippie. Burial was in Bridge St. Cemetery, Northampton Mass., with Dr. Keirstead conducting the service of committal.

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## PROMENADERS

### SQUARE DANCE



Peg and Bob Shoemaker

One of the most popular young callers in this area for Western Style square dancing, Bill Comp of South Hadley Falls, will be the guest caller for the Agawam Promenaders for their dance of Oct. 11, it was announced today by Doug and Adele Cochran, program chairmen.

The dance will be open, which means that square dancers from other clubs will find the welcome mat out. Bill Comp has called many times in the past for the Promenaders, the "Swingin' Teens" of South Hadley and the "Shirts and Skirts" of Northampton and will give the promenaders an evening of exciting rhythms for their square dancing fun. The Promenaders Party will be held at 8 p. m. Oct. 11 at Robinson Park School, Begley St., Agawam.

Dick and Lindy Davis will be serving up their usual lip smacking refreshments and will be assisted for this dance by Carl and Fran Link, Bob and Mary Adams, and Vin and Gwen Gregory. Doug Cochran will welcome Bill Comp and announce plans for the other dances scheduled for this fall.

The Executive Board of the Promenaders has started plans for a combination Halloween party and Old Times Night for Oct. 25. . . how about that!! All you folks who have been resting up for a while and used to square dance can get out the square dancing skirts and shoes as this party will be just for you. If your feet still itch when you hear western music you will feel most welcome at this affair. The party is set for Robinson Park School and further details will be announced in the near future.

## Friendly Squares Dance Saturday

The Friendly Squares Dance Club of Springfield will have club caller Dana Blood calling for them on Saturday Oct. 12th at the Trinity Lutheran Church, Wilbraham Rd., Springfield at 8 p.m.

Refreshments will be served and all western square dancers are invited to join in the fun with the Friendly Squares.



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## Agawam Historical Association Starts Season With Fall Tour

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Also known as the Porter-Phelps-Huntington house, 40-Acres is a fine example of 18th century charm and ingenuity in architectural design and furnishings. Mrs. Sessions, director of the famous landmark, with several capable assistants conducted an informative and very hospitable tour of the house and gardens. The group had a picnic lunch on the grounds.

A special interest to the association members were the collection of early Americana at the Farm Museum in Hadley and the Skinner Museum with its fine collection of early American furniture, antiques and curiosities from all over the world.

Although the majority of members and guests were from Agawam and Feeding Hills, there were several interested visitors from the Springfield metropolitan area. A special guest of Mrs. Richard John Curry, president

of the association, was Miss Beate Dittich, a university student from Berlin, Germany. Miss Dittich expressed pleasure with the natural and historical beauty of our area and she was particularly interested with the activities of the Agawam Historical Association.

## VWWI CARD PARTY WINNERS

The fifth game in the present series of Whist Parties sponsored by the Veterans of World War One was held last Wednesday evening in the Agawam National Guard Armory. Winning door prizes were Mildred Cole, Ruth Cusson, Henry Cole and Nadine Morley.

Mystery prize winners were Grace Pine, S. Trudell and Delia Cadorette. Ladies ace prize winner was Pearl King and Robert Damon for the men.

The following received high score prizes: Ladies — 1st Delia Cadorette, 2nd Mary Whitaker, 3rd Jessie Thompkins, 4th Rhea Duclos; Men — 1st Les Newcomb, 2nd Clarence Edwards, 3rd, L. Duclos, 4th James Cleary.

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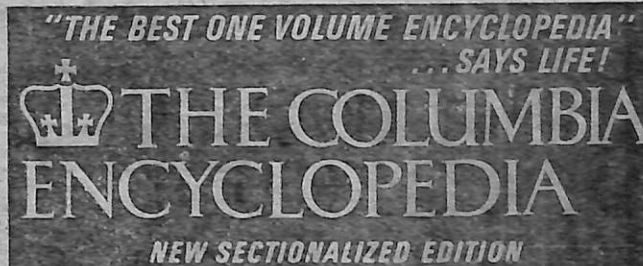
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## National School Lunch Week

### Labeled Plate Means Free Lunch

"SCHOOL LUNCH AIDS GOOD HEALTH" is the theme emphasized this year for the week of Oct. 13-19, designated by Presidential Proclamation as National School Lunch Week.

School Lunch is planned around the "Type" lunch menu pattern developed by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. School Lunch supplies growing youngsters with at least one-third of

the nourishment they need daily to be good students and to grow healthy and strong.

In observance of National School Lunch Week in Agawam, a certain number of lunch plates in each of the cafeterias will be labeled, each day, with National School Lunch Week stickers. Any student receiving a plate with such a label on the bottom will receive a free lunch.

## Agawam Council...

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telborer. Committee Chairman — Advisor, David Skolnick; Teacher Representative, Mrs. Reba Labardie; Historian, Mrs. Daniel Ciak; Safety, Harold Burnett; Fact Finding, Mrs. Brady Snyder; Agawam Civic Assoc. and Scholarship Chairman, Mrs. John Janik; Council Delegates, Mrs. Lyman Simpson, Robert Griffen, Mrs. Robert Rose, Mrs. Moriarty and Mrs. Wortelborer.

Programs will include: "Meet the Candidates Night" on Nov. 15th at the Junior High to be run in conjunction with the Agawam Teachers Association meeting giving the town people the opportunity to meet and listen to the plans of the candidates running for the School Committee.

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Feb. 10th — at the Peirce School the council will celebrate the PTA's Founders each school contributing to the Webber-Piske Scholarship Fund which aids students planning in becoming teachers.

April 9-10-11 Council will sponsor the Benjamin Phelps Scholarship Drive a town wide drive in the effort to aid as many students as possible graduating from Agawam High School to further their education.

June 2 — Annual banquet and election of officers.

The Council will be represented at the Massachusetts Congress 59th annual convention on Oct. 18-19 at the Oak 'N Spruce Lodge, South Lee, Mass., by council president Mrs. DiDonato and

## Gridiron Mothers Meet Monday

For the ninth consecutive year, Agawam Gridiron Mothers swing into a busy season of raising money to provide scholarships for boys who have been involved in the varsity football program.

Last year enough money was raised through the combined efforts of the "moms," the boys and the generosity of the townspeople in support of the fund raising projects, to provide \$100 scholarships to each 12 boys who were planning to further their education.

The Gridiron Mothers will meet Monday evening, the 14th, at 8:15 in the teacher's room of the high school cafeteria. Mrs. Michael Piccin who is serving her second term as president extends an invitation to all mothers whose sons are in the football program in the Junior High School and High School to come to the meetings and become a member of the "moms." All former members whose sons have graduated are included in this invitation. Coach Clifford Kibbe will be on hand to talk informally with the group and answer questions pertaining to the football program.

Refreshments will be served by Mrs. Benny Bonavita and Mrs. Bertam Goodwin.

Serving with Mrs. Piccin for the 1968-69 season are Mrs. Roland DeBlois, vice-president; Mrs. Robert Nooney, treasurer; Mrs. Charles Shearer, secretary; Mrs. Philip DeForge, publicity. Mrs. Benny Bonavita is chairman of the telephone committee.

Mrs. Moriarty.

All units have opened PTA membership drives and Agawam parents are urged to support these efforts by joining their school unit which gives you the automatic membership in the Agawam PTA Council.

## Junior Women...

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B. Contrino; Corresponding secretary, Mrs. Richard J. Fairburn; Treasurer, Mrs. Arthur A. Psholka; Asst. Treasurer, Mrs. Donald LaViolette; Directors, Mrs. Albert F. Magistri, Mrs. James W. McNamee, Mrs. Franklin E. Stoll; Counselors, Mrs. Eugene Lund, chairman, Mrs. Stephen Jamrog, Mrs. Walter C. Ruckstuhl; Auditor, Mrs. James F. Fenton, Jr.; Historian, Mrs. John H. Bodurtha.

## Babysitter Wanted

for 2 children, days, Mon. thru Fri. in my home. Dover St., Agawam—Tel. 739-6871.

## Shop Early for Christmas

Call your local Fuller Brush dealer, Ed Grudgen — 525-7949.



October 14

through

October 17

### SENIOR HIGH

Monday: Orange juice, hamburger on roll, potato chips, buttered carrots, peanut butter sandwich, gingerbread w/topping, milk.

Tuesday: Pork pie w/biscuit topping, mashed potatoes, frosted spinach, bread/butter, peanut butter sandwich, ice cream, milk.

Wednesday: Meat ball grinder w/tomato sauce, tossed salad w/spinach greens, peanut butter sandwich, fruit cocktail, milk.

Thursday: Baked link sausage, parslid potato, applesauce, rye B/B, peanut butter sandwich, peanut butter cookies, milk.

Friday: Orange juice, grilled cheese sandwich, raw vegetable tray, peanut butter sandwich, peach shortcake w/topping, milk.

### JUNIOR HIGH

Monday: Hamburg and gravy, mashed potato, buttered broccoli, bread/butter, jello w/topping, milk.

Tuesday: Juice, ham and cheese roll, cabbage carrot salad, apple sauce, milk.

Wednesday: Juice, hamburger on bun, stewed tomatoes, peanut butter sandwich, fruit cup, snickerdoodle cookies, milk.

Thursday: Juice, hot roast beef sandwich tossed salad, buttered carrots, bread/butter, chocolate sauce, milk.

Friday: Orange juice, grilled cheese sandwich, buttered corn, pineapple chunks, milk.

### DANAHY

Monday: Juice, frankfurt on roll, cabbage carrot salad, applesauce cake, milk.

Tuesday: Hamburg and gravy, mashed potatoes, broccoli, bread/butter, fruited jello w/topping, milk.

Wednesday: Chicken soup w/vegetables, meat sandwiches or peanut butter/jam sandwiches, peanut butter cookies, orange wedge, milk.

Thursday: Shell macaroni w/meat sauce, wax beans, bread/butter, cheese wedge, peaches, milk.

Friday: Juice, pizza, tossed salad, butter cake w/frosting, milk.

### GRANGER

Monday: Juice, meat balls in tomato sauce, buttered rice, diced carrots, bread/butter, chocolate pudding w/whipped topping, milk.

Tuesday: Juice, frankfurt on buttered bun, relish, mustard, potato chips, 7 minute cabbage, fruit, milk.

Wednesday: Juice, tomato soup, ham/relish sandwich, fresh apple, milk.

Thursday: Spaghetti w/meat tomato sauce, lettuce tomato

spinach salad, bread/butter peaches, milk.

### PEIRCE

Monday: Baked Macaroni w/hamburg tomatoes, buttered green beans, cheese wedge, bread/butter, pineapple tidbits, milk.

Tuesday: Grilled frankfurt on hot buttered roll, baked beans, cole slaw w/grated carrots, peanut butter sandwich, mix fruit, milk.

Wednesday: Orange juice, turkey w/brown gravy, whipped potatoes, buttered peas & carrots, jelly sandwich, silver cake w/fudge icing, milk.

Thursday: Beef vegetable casserole w/potato topping, buttered leaf spinach, cheese or peanut butter sandwich, vanilla pudding w/chocolate sauce, milk.

Friday: Orange juice, tuna sail boats, kernel corn, potato chips, peanut butter sandwich, apricots, milk.

### PHELPS

Monday: Juice, tunaburger on toasted roll, tossed green salad, fruit, milk.

Tuesday: Hamburg and macaroni w/tomato sauce, cabbage carrot salad, bread/butter, sliced peaches, milk.

Wednesday: Juice, grilled hamburger on buttered bun, onion slices, relish, buttered carrots, spice cake, milk.

Thursday: Juice, roast turkey in gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered green beans, bread and butter, ice cream, milk.

### ROBINSON PARK

Monday: Tomato soup, raw vegetables, chopped ham sandwiches, fresh fruit, cookies, milk.

Tuesday: Juice, frankfurt on buttered roll, mustard and relish, buttered carrots, potato chips, deep dish apple pie w/cheese wedge, milk.

Wednesday: Shell macaroni w/meat & tomato sauce, buttered green beans, peanut butter sandwich, sliced peaches, milk.

Thursday: Juice, hot open turkey sandwich w/gravy, buttered broccoli, cranberry sauce, fudgicle, milk.

### SOUTH

Monday: Orange juice, steamed franks on buttered roll, mustard, relish, cheese sticks, buttered peas, citrus fruit cup, milk.

Tuesday: Baked lasagne w/meat spaghetti sauce, buttered Vienna bread, A.B.C. cabbage salad, easy fruit cake, milk.

Wednesday: Pork w/gravy on mashed potatoes, buttered spinach, peanut butter on rye, spiced applesauce, milk.

Thursday: Citrus juice, egg salad on hard roll, carrot sticks, buttered green beans, ice cream cup, milk.

## Valley Bank W.S. Drive-In Hours

John E. Blauvelt, Vice-President in charge of Branch Administration, announces longer hours at Valley Bank's West Springfield Drive-In bank to meet customers' needs.

The new Drive-In hours are Monday thru Thursday 8 a.m.-5 p.m.; Friday 8 a.m.-8 p.m. The West Springfield Valley Bank Branch Office will remain open Monday thru Friday 9 a.m.-3 p.m.; Friday evening 6:30 p.m.-8 p.m.

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## LEGION AUXILIARY UNIT NEWS

By WILMA C. GILLAN

Friday, Oct. 18th—Joint installation of Post and Auxiliary officers at the Agawam Junior High School Cafeteria at 7:30 p.m. Preceding the ceremonies there will be a concert by the Legion Band. Masters of Ceremonies will be Tom and Jane Whalen, Commander-elect is Bernie Belcher and President-Elect is his wife Gladys Belcher.

Other Legionnaires taking office are: Senior Vice-Commander, Douglas Sperry; Junior Vice-Commander, Larry Mahue; Finance Officer, Tom Whalen; Chaplain, Roland Reed; Historian, Harold Bushey; Sergeant-at-Arms, Robert Frenette; Judge Advocate, Leslie Moore, Sr.; Service Officer, Francis Brutnell; Executive Committee, Chet Krukowski and Lou Morris and House Committee, Francis Connor.

Those taking office in the Aux-

iliary are: Senior Vice-President, Mrs. Jane Whalen; Junior Vice-President, Mrs. Pauline Brown; Secretary, Mrs. Barbara Connor; Treasurer, Mrs. Gladys Catchepaugh; Chaplain, Mrs. Wilma Gillan; Historian, Mrs. Ruth Bowman; Sergeant-at-Arms, Mrs. Elsie Boissonneault, and Executive Board, Mrs. Virginia Catchepaugh, Mrs. Jennie Bousquet, Mrs. Julia Moore, Mrs. Trudy Sperry, and Mrs. Mary Crawford.

The public is welcome at the installation and the reception following at the Legion Home on Springfield St., Agawam.

Thursday, Oct. 24th — Past Presidents' Parley will be held at the Chicopee Post Home at 8 p.m. County Chairman is Mrs. Catherine Polchlopek.

Monday, Oct. 28th — First of County Auxiliary dances at Leeds Hospital. Volunteers may contact Chairman Jane Whalen.

## My Beat — A.H.S.

Jo-Ann Della-Giustina

Wild and loud cheering fill the AHS stands each Saturday at our football games. Both the Chicopee and Greenfield games were filled with excitement. On Saturday our team will be at

### 'Don't Drop Out, Drop In' PTA

President Daniel Molta of the Danahy School PTA has announced plans for the coming year at a New Mother's Tea.

The theme for the '68-69 season will be "Don't Drop Out, Drop In."

The tea was held at the school at which time mothers were welcomed by Mr. Molta and Mr. Miller. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Allan Hardina and Mrs. Robert Castelli and their committee.

Programs for the year will include Nov. 13th—Open House 7 to 9 p.m.; Jan. 15th Fathers' Night with Dr. Guidare as guest speaker; March 12 Open House; and May 14th the annual banquet with Mr. Skolnick as guest speaker.

The PTA will also sponsor films for children and will hold election day food sales.

Mr. Molta will be assisted by the following officers and committee chairmen: Mrs. Lyman Simpson, vice president; Mrs. Donald LaViolette, secretary; Mrs. James Taupier, treasurer; Mrs. Francis Murray, programs; Mrs. Jeremiah Quill, membership; Mrs. Albert Taupier, parliamentarian and historian; Mrs. Daniel Molta, publicity; Mrs. Sylvia Ready, teachers representative; Mrs. Lyman Simpson, Council representative; Mrs. Donald Poggi and Mrs. Arthur Polan, ways and means; Mrs. Fred Orlosk, hospitality.



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COMING EVENTS: Plans for the Sadie Hawkins Dance Nov. 9 are being made. . . the year book staff is working hard to meet its first deadline.



### Notes

The present thought of the Agawam Center Library Association is so far as possible, to follow to the letter the purpose of the Certificate of Incorporation. Two years ago, this certificate was found, dated Sept. 5, 1923, it states the purpose of

The Agawam Independent—Thursday, October 10, 1968 Page 5 the Association is "assisting, benefiting, fostering, and maintaining a public library and branch libraries in the town of Agawam, Mass." It is indeed heart-warming to think that 45 years ago, Mrs. Davis had the foresight to realize what a town of 6,920 population would need today! What a wonderful woman.

A 'thank you' is also due the Association for their generous gift of money "for a booklist and furnishings for the new addition" and for their help in paying the salaries of assistant librarians in the other town libraries.

As noted elsewhere, Lt. Col. A. George Mallis gave the library a copy of his book entitled "List of Die Varieties of Morgan Head Silver Dollars." This book is the result of examining over 35 thousand

and Morgan Silver Dollars. . . Thank you, Col. Mallis. Those of you who are interested in collecting or "bartering" of coins can find up-to-date material in the Numismatic News, The Numist, Coinage, and Coin World.

If you miss any of the baseball series this week, come into the library and read about it in either Sunday issue of the New York Times or the National Observer or the daily issue of the Christian Science Monitor.

Mrs. William Keogh will be at the New England Library Trustees Association meeting, Oct. 3, at Wentworth-by-the-Sea. The N.E.L.T.A.'s purpose is to be a liaison between the American Library Association, the State Trustee Associations and the governmental library agencies of the states of the New England Area.



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## SPORTSMEN'S CORNER



By BILL CHIBA

The latest dope received by this writer concerning the I.D. card issuance a person needs in order to own a gun after Jan. 1, 1969 is that the forms will be available at your local police station by Oct. 20.

After Jan. 1, 1969, a firearm identification cards will be required for any person in the Commonwealth to own, purchase, or possess any rifle or shotgun. If you have a concealable firearm (pistol permit) you are exempt from the I.D. card. The I.D. card will cost you a fee of \$2.00 and be good for five years.

### GROUSE SEASON

Thursday, Oct. 10 will mark the opening of the grouse and woodcock seasons in Mass. this year. The grouse season will run from that date through Jan. 2, 1969, inclusive, with the exception of Dec. 2-7, the shotgun season for deer when no grouse may be taken.

The daily bag limit for grouse will be three, the possession limit six, the season limit fifteen. Daily shooting hours begin one-half hour before sunrise, except on division operated wildlife management areas where no hunting is allowed before sunrise during the upland game bird season.

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The grouse season was extended by the Division of Fisheries and Game Board to provide additional recreational opportunity for hunters during a longer season.

A Migratory Game Stamp (duck stamp) is not needed to hunt grouse and woodcock. However, your shot gun must be plugged to hold not more than three shells at any one time in the chamber and magazine combined when hunting woodcock or ducks.

The W. S. Fish and Game Club turkey shoots are proving to be quite popular. A good size crowd is showing up to participate every Sunday. The events will continue every Sunday, starting at 2 p.m., till Dec. 2.

This last Sunday's event found Preston Parker winning 3 birds and Bob Vanotti and Bob Allen taking home two apiece. Other winners were: Steve Allen, Anthony Malone, William Gibbs, Ken Elkas, Tex Gagne, Vic Sands with Ray Vanotti willing the special basket. The children's special event was won by George Makrianis Jr.

The club is going to use the revenue from these tournaments to send a youth from the club membership to the State operated Conservation Camp next June. The remainder of the monies raised will be deposited into the building fund.

### BOW SEASON

The Vermont Bow hunting season for deer will open Oct. 12. Many bow benders from this community will be venturing north. Among them you will probably run into; Ted Cesan, Fire Chief Schnieder, Frank Karakala, Junie Provost, Noel Brown, Vic Shibley and many other town hunters.

The stalkers of the wily deer will find things a bit different in the Central Part of the state. The deer herd is way down, and I mean way down. The amount of deer running the ridges and farm lands was reduced drastically last winter by below freezing weather combined with ice that hung on for a month and a half, plus the ravishing destruction caused by farm dogs that had a field day ripping and tearing the helpless animals to shreds. Sno-mobile enthusiasts report finding hundreds of deer carcasses throughout the woodlands of Vermont. So look for less deer sign in your favorite areas this year.

Guns illustrated 1969 is now

# Mexico City's Rare Air Calls For Special Care

Heard any god borborygmi lately? You may if you're one of the many Americans going to the Olympics in Mexico City next month.

Borborygmi, or gastric growls, are just your stomach's way of letting you know it's hard at work. And don't be surprised if you hear a little more than usual from your lungs and heart, too. For most people, it's nothing to worry about—just the higher altitude speeding up some parts of you and slowing down others.

Physicians at Aetna Life & Casualty, largest writer of health insurance in the U. S., caution, however, that some health problems may occur because there's less oxygen in the air at Mexico City's mile and a half elevation.

Up there, you may feel yourself breathing a little faster and deeper as your lungs try to make up for the oxygen shortage. You might notice your heart pounding slightly as it pumps a little harder to keep blood with sufficient oxygen in it making the usual rounds. And your stomach, which goes a little slower up there, will give you an occasional rumble if you rush it.

You may react to the altitude by getting tired more easily, or, paradoxically, by becoming more active and unable to sleep as well. You might get a little giddy, excited or even argumentative.

The effects may be more bothersome to people with chest, heart or anemia problems because they're best off with more, not less, oxygen. Aetna physicians advise a check with the family doctor before leaving in such cases.

There's no way for Olympic travelers to duck the higher altitude, but there are some ways you can keep it from getting you down.

Unless you've been in training all summer, leave the exertions to the athletes. Strenuous climbing or running—to catch the tour bus, for example—is best avoided.

If your new environment and the excitement of it all make you feel tired, do as the natives do and take a little siesta.

The altitude slows your digestive processes down, so you'll be doing yourself a favor if you do likewise while eating. It's helpful to eat lightly at first, but regularly.

With its 7,434 foot elevation, Mexico City has a mountain climate. This means hot sun, cool shade, dryness and glare. These may produce headaches, dry skin and chapped lips, so be prepared with a supply of your favorite remedies.

Should you get sick or hurt, Mexico City has excellent medical facilities. If a serious health problem develops, though, you may want to seek advice from the U. S. Embassy in Mexico City or the nearest American consulate elsewhere.

available at your sports store or news dealer for only \$2.95.

Its 208 information packed pages include clear cut illustrations, specifications and prices on hundreds of handguns, rifles, shotguns, air guns, scopes, sights, ammunition, handloading tools and reloading components ranging from Browning to Winchester . . . the currently available product of over fifty manufacturers!

The mag is edited by Mitch Westra with the cooperation of the editors of famed Gun Digest. As an extra bonus, the publishers have included 16 pages of rare collectors guns in magnificent full color.

## South School PTA Announce Program

South School Parent Teachers Association announces the following program for the 1968-69 season:

Nov. 13—"Open House"; Jan. 8, 1969—"Fathers Night"; Feb. 10—All PTA members are invited to attend the Founder's Day program to be held at the Benjamin Phelps School; Mar. 12—Speaker, to be announced; April 30—Annual meeting and installation of officers.

Elected officers for the 1968-69 season are: President — Mr. Paul V. Pappas; Vice President—Mr. Harold Burnett; Secretary—Mrs. Rene Thomas; Treasurer—Mrs. Dorothy Duda and Advisor—Principal, Mrs. John Crawford.

Standing Committees: Hospitality — Mrs. Dale Mushrush; Publicity—Mrs. Clifford Catchepaugh; Membership—Mrs. Steven Tesney; Program — Mrs. James Fenton; Room Mothers — Mrs. James Babcock; Historian and Special Publicity—Mrs. Paul V. Pappas; Council Delegate—Mrs. Edward Moriarty and Teachers' Representative — Miss Francesca Solon.

Our theme for the coming year is "Helping Our Children Today To A Better Tomorrow."

## Spare Time Income

Refilling and collecting money from NEW TYPE high-quality coin-operated dispensers in your area. No selling. To qualify you must have car, references, \$600 to \$2,900 cash. Seven to twelve hours weekly can net excellent monthly income. More full time. For personal interview write UNITED DISTRIBUTING COMPANY, 701 (A) INVESTMENT BLDG., PITTSBURGH, PA., 15222. Include phone number.

## Schmidt Observes Banking Anniversary

Well known Agawam resident Edward A. Schmidt of 116 Silver St., is observing his 35th year with Valley Bank and Trust Co. this month. Manager of Val-

### LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampden, ss. In Equity

**Superior Court**  
To THOMAS F. JOHNSON and HELEN JOHNSON, husband and wife, both residing at 18 Carmel Lane, Agawam, Hampden County, Massachusetts; and to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended:

NORTHAMPTON INSTITUTION FOR SAVINGS, a banking institution duly organized and existing under the laws of The Commonwealth of Massachusetts and having its principal place of business in Northampton, Hampshire County, Massachusetts claiming to be the holder of a mortgage—covering certain real estate situated in AGAWAM, Hampden County, Massachusetts, and particularly described in said mortgage to the Petitioner as follows:

"...a certain parcel of land situated in AGAWAM, Hampden County, Massachusetts, being designated as Lot #30 (thirty), as shown on a plan of lots entitled 'Poplar Park', recorded in Hampden County Registry of Deeds in Book of Plans V, Page 50, said lot being bounded and described as follows:

EASTERLY: by Carmel Lane, as shown on said plan, one hundred ten (110) feet;  
SOUTHERLY: by Lot #21 (twenty-one), as shown on said plan, one hundred ninety seven and 20/100 (197.20) feet;  
WESTERLY: by land now or formerly of Carmel Associates, Inc., seventy six and 68/100 (76.68) feet;  
NORTHERLY: by Lots #26 (twenty six) and #25 (twenty five), both as shown on said plan, two hundred (200) feet.

SUBJECT to easement rights of Western Massachusetts Electric Company, et al. under instrument dated October 24, 1966 and recorded as aforesaid in Book 3223, Page 237.

BEING the same premises conveyed to me by Charles R. Calabrese, by deed to be recorded herewith.

Given by Thomas F. Johnson to the Petitioner, dated August 29, 1967 and recorded in Hampden County Registry of Deeds in Book 3283, Page 198 has filed with said court a bill in equity for authority to foreclose said mortgage—in the manner following: by entry and possession, exercise of a power of sale.

If you are entitled to the benefits of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended, and you object to such foreclosure or seizure, you or your attorney should file a written appearance and answer in said court at Springfield, in the County of Hampden, on or before November 7, 1968, or you may be forever barred from claiming that such foreclosure or seizure is invalid under said act.

Witness, G. JOSEPH TAURO, Chief Justice of our Superior Court, this third day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-eight.

EDWARD G. SHEA, Clerk. (Oct. 10)

ley Bank's East Springfield branch on Page Blvd., he was the recipient of a service pin from William A. Lieson, president of the bank, in a recent ceremony.

Mr. Schmidt joined Valley Bank as a messenger in 1933, shortly after graduation from Technical High School. He furthered his professional education at American International College and in the American Institute of Banking program and subsequently worked as bookkeeper, accrual clerk and teller before being made a branch manager.

Active in town affairs, Mr. Schmidt is immediate past president of the Agawam Lions Club and a past treasurer of St. David's Church and the Agawam Chamber of Commerce.

## Agawam High School College Night Oct. 15

Parents and students are cordially invited to attend "College Night" at Agawam High School on Tuesday, Oct. 15th at 7:30 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

Mr. Robert Doolan, Associate Director of Admissions at the University of Massachusetts will be the guest speaker. He will speak on admissions practices of all types of colleges and universities.

Parents are urged to attend this lecture so that they will be better informed on the latest practices and policies on college admissions procedures.

Mr. Raymond Harris, principal, will welcome the guests. Mr. David Skolnick, guidance director, will serve as moderator and Mr. John Porter, Mrs. Elaine Dupre and Mr. Peter Mazza, guidance counselors will be introduced to the assembly.

A question and answer period will follow Mr. Doolan's remarks.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampden, ss. In Equity

**Superior Court**  
To LOUIS R. CUSSON, residing at 316 North Street, Agawam, Hampden County, Massachusetts; ELIZABETH A. CUSSON, residing at 24 Renny Avenue, Southwick said Hampden County; and HUGO MARIANI and to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended:

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SOUTHEASTERLY: by Royal Street, fifty (50) feet;  
NORTHEASTERLY: by Lot #31 (thirty-one), as shown on said plan, one hundred (100) feet;  
NORTHWESTERLY: by Lot #18 (eighteen), as shown on said plan, fifty (50) feet; and  
SOUTHWESTERLY: by Lot #29 (twenty-nine), as shown on said plan, one hundred (100) feet.

SUBJECT to easement rights of American Telephone and Telegraph Company under instrument dated November 29, 1965, recorded in said Registry of Deeds in Book 691, Page 338.

SUBJECT to restrictions of record if any are now in force and applicable.  
SUBJECT to encumbrances of record.  
BEING the same premises conveyed to us by deed of Theodore J. Cusson, et ux, to be recorded herewith.

Given by Louis R. Cusson and Elizabeth A. Cusson to the Petitioner, dated December 8, 1967 and recorded in Hampden County Registry of Deeds in Book 3307, Page 264 has filed with said court a bill in equity for authority to foreclose said mortgage—in the manner following: by entry and possession, exercise of a power of sale.

If you are entitled to the benefits of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended, and you object to such foreclosure or seizure, you or your attorney should file a written appearance and answer in said court at Springfield, in the County of Hampden, on or before November 7, 1968, or you may be forever barred from claiming that such foreclosure or seizure is invalid under said act.

Witness, G. JOSEPH TAURO, Chief Justice of our Superior Court, this third day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-eight.

EDWARD G. SHEA, Clerk. (Oct. 10)



## UNITED STATES Army - Navy - Marine Corps - Coast Guard

**COMMANDER McQUESTEN ON DESTROYER FLOTILLA**  
(NO247) USS CONYNHAM (DDG-17) at sea (FHTNC) — Navy Commander John T. McQuesten Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John T. McQuesten of 914 Main St., Agawam, and husband of the former Miss Ruth Brightbill of Myerstown, Pa., is serving on the staff on Commander Cruiser Destroyer Flotilla Two aboard the USS Conynham in the North Atlantic in support of Operation Silver Tower.

Operation Silver Tower is a large scale NATO maritime exercise with more than 100 ships from nine nations participating.

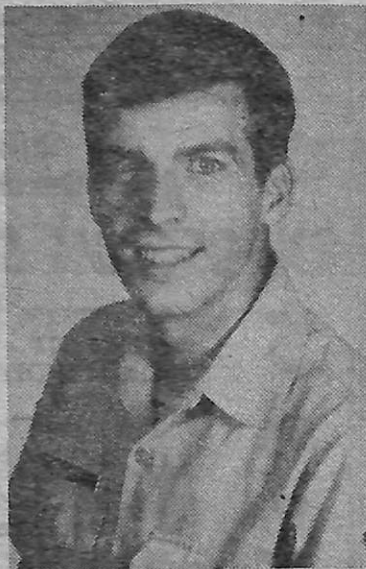
Purpose of Silver Tower is to exercise NATO national forces in their defense tasks on both sides of the Atlantic.

The exercise is intended to improve the cooperation and readiness of Allied forces and to demonstrate the ability of national maritime forces to integrate rapidly and efficiently into an effective defense organization.

In addition to Cruiser Destroyer Flotilla Two and other units of the U. S. Navy, the maritime forces for the NATO exercise are

being provided by Belgium, Canada, the Federal Republic of Germany, Denmark, The Netherlands, Norway, Portugal and the United Kingdom.

### ON WESTERN PACIFIC DUTY



A/1C BRUNEAU

With U. S. Combat Air Forces in the Western Pacific—Airman First Class David G. Bruneau, son of Mrs. Dorothy E. Bruneau of 75 Clematis Rd., Agawam, is now on temporary duty with the 4133rd Bomb Wing at a forward base in the Western Pacific.

Airman Bruneau, an administrative specialist, supports almost daily B-52 Stratofortress bombing missions against enemy targets in Southeast Asia and KC-135 Stratotanker missions that daily provide aerial refueling to the B-52s as well as fighter and reconnaissance aircraft conducting the air war over Vietnam.

He is permanently assigned to the Strategic Air Command's 99th Bomb Wing at Westover AFB, Mass.

The airman is a 1966 graduate of Springfield High School.

### JEFFREY RECEIVES GOOD CONDUCT MEDAL

**FT. HOOD, TEX. (AHTNC)** — Army Specialist Four Jeffrey P. St. Jean, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul St. Jean, 1283 Suffolk St., Agawam, Mass., received the Good Conduct Medal Sept. 18 while assigned to this 2nd Armored Division at Ft. Hood, Tex.

Spec. St. Jean received the award for exemplary conduct, efficiency and fidelity in active military service.

He is a cook in Company C of the division's 48th Medical Battalion.

### BODMAN ASSIGNED TO CHU LAI, VIETNAM

(AHTNC) — Army Private First Class Douglas W. Bodman, whose sister, Mrs. Thomas Christopher lives at 269 Poplar St., Feeding Hills, Mass., was assigned Sept. 5 to the 198th Light Infantry Brigade, Americal Division near Chu Lai, Vietnam, as a rifleman.

His father, William W. Bodman, lives at 101 Mullberry St., Springfield, Mass.

### CONNOR COMPLETES INFANTRY TRAINING

**FT. POLK, LA. (AHTNC)** — Army Private Roger R. Connor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward G. Connor, 59 Maynard St., Feeding Hills, Mass., completed nine weeks of advanced infantry training Aug. 30 at Ft. Polk, La. His last week of training was spent in guerrilla warfare exercises.

During his guerrilla training, he lived under simulated Vietnam conditions for five days, fighting off night attacks and conducting raids on "enemy" villages. He was taught methods of removing booby traps, setting ambushes and avoiding enemy ambushes.

Other specialized training included small unit tactics, map reading, land mine warfare, communications, and firing the M-16 rifle, M-60 machine gun and the 3.5 - inch rocket launcher.

Pvt. Connor entered the Army in April of this year and received basic training at Ft. Dix, N. J.

He is a 1967 graduate of Agawam High School.

### NEWMAN ABOARD USS ENTERPRISE

**USS ENTERPRISE (CVA(N)-65) (FHTNC)** — Storekeeper Third Class Robert E. Newman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Newman of 322 Meadow St., Agawam, is serving aboard the nuclear-powered attack aircraft carrier USS Enterprise.

The ship is currently in dry dock at Bremerton, Wash. Upon completion of the dry dock period the carrier will return to her homeport at Alameda, Calif.

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**BIG NEWS.** . . the first party in our NEW Lodge at O'Brien's Corner, Feeding Hills, will be a Halloween party for children of the Moose, Sunday evening Oct. 27th, from 5 to 7. Mark the date on your calendar. . . More details next week.

"TOTAL ENERGY" blast-off leader is Ted Waterman with five new members signed up — congratulations Ted! If every Brother does his share the Lodge

will go over it's quota and receive an award from Mooseheart. There are personal awards also: For one member, a tie tac; three members, key protector; 12 members, 12K Moose ring. Give yourself a present. . . sign 'em up.

HELP is still needed for decorating the new Lodge, drop in any evening or during the week-end, no experience necessary just lots of enthusiasm.

Another successful dinner-dance was held last Saturday. Chairman Ernie Dumond wishes to thank each and every member who helped in any way to make the supper a success. Also a million thanks to the wives for all that delicious food and hard work. Congratulations to Janice Ryan who won the doorprize at the supper Saturday night.

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# V.F.W. Post 1632 and Auxiliary Bulletin

By ANNA D. BISSENETTE

## AMERICANISM

Commander Harpin and President Emily Dias said "Once again it is time to show our dedication to the principles of democracy by using our right to vote. We are indeed fortunate that we are free to cast our vote for the person of our choice. It is your duty as a good citizen to vote in order to insure the future of a free and prosperous America." The responsibility for good government rest squarely on the shoulders of each and everyone of us. OUR country is ruled by the ballot—our precious right to vote. LET'S ALL GET OUT AND VOTE.

## MEMBERSHIP

All dues cards have been mailed out — In paying your 1969 dues, PLEASE make check payable to Veterans of Foreign Wars Post #1632 for \$6.25 and mail to Quartermaster Wilfred H. Bissonnette, 21 Mulberry St., Agawam, Mass. 01001. DON'T WAIT. DO IT NOW before you feel the pinch of Christmas. Auxiliary dues should be paid to Treasurer Ann D. Bissonnette at the same address with checks of \$3.00 made payable to V.F.W. Auxiliary #1632. Thank you.

## LITTLE BITS

Did you know that Corregidor was selected as the site of the recently-dedicated Pacific War Memorial because it was considered symbolic of all the battle areas in the Pacific from Alaska

to Australia and from Hawaii to China?

Did you know that during any year the observance of Veteran's Day, November 11, is of great importance to all veterans but the observance of Veterans Day 1968 is special because it marks the 50th anniversary of the Armistice of World War I — the

war which gave birth to the American Legion and its Auxiliary. May we of the V.F.W. congratulate them on their GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY. The American Legion will lead the national rites on Veterans Day at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier in Arlington National Cemetery.

Mary Stellato recuperating at home after another stay in the hospital. Cards would be appreciated by Ida Bondi who is still in the hospital. Bib, Coral and Anna Bissonnette spent the Oct. 4th weekend at Southbury Inn, Southbury, Conn., where they attended the wedding of Dorothy Gravel and Richard Beaulieu on Saturday at Waterbury.

## Westfield Savings Bank Assets Increase Two Million

WESTFIELD — Assets of Westfield Savings Bank on September 30 were \$56,224,441, Arthur W. Knapp, president, told the quarterly meeting of the board of trustees at the Sheraton Inn Monday night. Henry F. Burrows, chairman of the board, presided.

Mr. Knapp said that the assets gain for the preceding year was \$3,445,041, and that for the six months ended September 30, the assets increase was \$2,120,032.

"Westfield Savings Bank has begun the fourth quarter of what I believe is going to be a very satisfactory year," Mr. Knapp said. "We are participating in—and sharing in—the excellent level of business activity, and we continue very optimistic about the future."

Mr. Knapp said that Westfield Savings Bank's new Agawam of-

fice is continuing to grow and that community acceptance of the banking facility is "very good."

Savings deposits on September 30 totaled \$48,877,515, a gain of \$2,980,601 for the year. The increase for the six-month period was \$1,420,617.

Real estate loans totaled \$42,748,089 on September 30, an increase of \$4,278,348 for the 12 preceding months, and an increase of \$1,593,930 for the six months ended September 30.

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The aim of the course is to help people with hearing problems to make maximum use of their residual hearing through auditory training and to become proficient in Lip Reading skills.

The class is being taught by Mrs. Abraham Bunis. Mrs. Bunis

holds a masters degree in speech and audiology and has taught in this field for the past 15 years. She has been associated with the Springfield Hearing and Speech Center, The School for Exceptional Children, The Plainfield Hearing League, the New York League for the Hard of Hearing, the New York City Board of Education and the Springfield Jewish Home for the Aged. For further information contact the YWCA.

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